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Ex Parte Presentation in CC Docket No. 96-98 Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions in the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and CS Docket No. _95-184, Telecommunications Services Inside Wiring; Customer Premises Equipment

Dear Mr. Caton:

During the course of a meeting this afternoon with James Casserly and Anita Wallgren of Commissioner Ness' office, David Turetsky and I, on behalf of Teligent, L.L.C., discussed issues raised in Petitions for Reconsideration of the Commission's First Report and Order in CC Docket No. 96-98 concerning access to rights-of-way under Section 224 of the Communications Act as well as issues concerning access to inside wire arising out of the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CS Docket No. 95-184. We asked Ms. Wallgren and Mr. Casserly to consider the statutory basis and policy interests recommending an interpretation of Section 224 in a manner that accounts for the unique access requirements of fixed wireless carriers such as Teligent. Our discussion centered upon the expansion of Section 224 in the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and the Commission's construction of utility companies' obligations to afford access to conduits, ducts, and rights-of-way in the Order in CC Docket No. 96-98. also discussed the jurisdictional and policy basis for requiring building owners to offer carriers access to telephone inside wire.

Respectfully submitted,

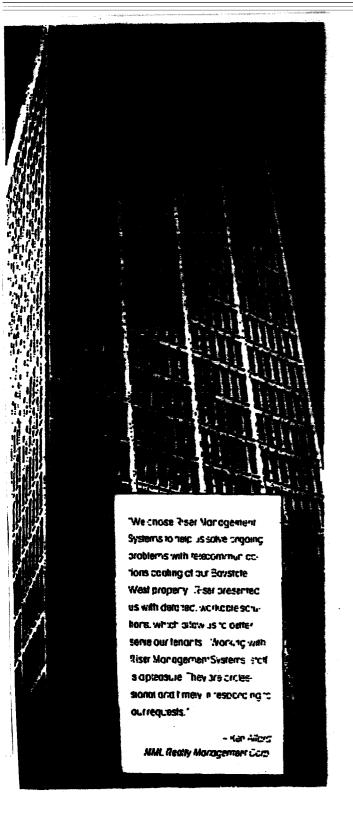
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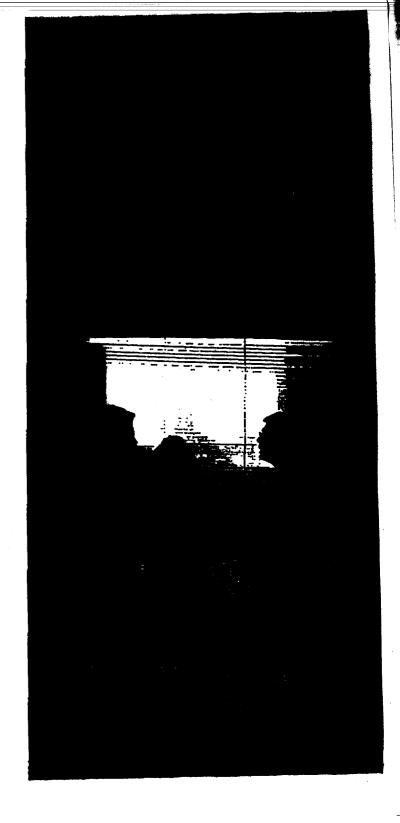
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